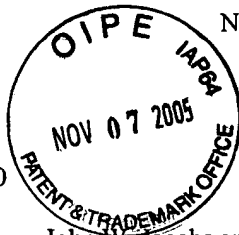




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Mail Stop Amendment  
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Re: Inventors: John W. Jacobs and Elizabeth A. Dauch  
Assignee: NEC Electronics America, Inc.  
Title: TUNGSTEN PLUG CORROSION PREVENTION  
METHOD USING IONIZED AIR  
Application No.: 10/695,528  
Filing Date: October 28, 2003  
Group Art Unit: 2891  
Examiner: Luan C. Thai  
Attorney Docket No.: NEC0254US

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents in the above-identified application:

- (1) Return Receipt Postcard
- (2) This Transmittal Letter (1 page; in duplicate)
- (3) Response To Non-Final Office Action (8 pages)
- (4) Petition for Extension of Time - One Month (1 page, in duplicate)



No additional fee is required.



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Total Claims	26	Minus	27	=	0	x \$50.00	\$ 0.00
Independent Claims	3	Minus	3	=	0	x \$200.00	\$ 0.00



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